## **Beaverton Police**

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## BEAVERTON POLICE DEPARTMENT IS INVESTIGATING A SEX ABUSE/HARASSMENT COMPLAINT

The Beaverton Police Department is conducting an investigation into a reported sex abuse/harassment complaint that occurred on December 1 at 6:45 am on SW 8<sup>th</sup> St., behind St. Cecilia Elementary School.

A sixteen year-old Beaverton High School student stated she was walking northbound on SW Lombard when she observed a Hispanic male sitting inside of a dark blue, 4-dr mid-sized sedan. The victim proceeded to SW 8<sup>th</sup> St. where she heard the suspect approaching her from behind on foot.

The suspect made several comments to the victim and then tried to kiss her. Victim was able to push him away, at which point he placed both hands on her face and forcibly kissed her. The student pushed him away for a second time and the suspect then ran back to his vehicle and left in an unknown direction.

The student was able to make it to Beaverton High School where she informed school staff and the Beaverton Police Department of the incident. The student did not suffer any injuries as a result of this incident.

The suspect is described as a Hispanic male, 18 years of age, 5'6" to 5'7" tall and having a thin build. He had no facial hair and had short brown hair and brown eyes and was wearing a blue/gray/white plaid jacket. The victim reported the suspect had silver caps on the top row of his front teeth. (see below)

Anyone with information related to this investigation, is asked to call Det. Oathes at 503-526-2289.	
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